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SIXTH ANNUAL
Parents And Guardians Convocation

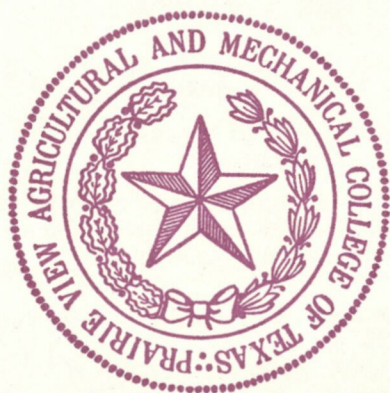
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PRAIRIE VIEW A. and M. COLLEGE

and

PRAIRIE VIEW ASSOCIATION OF
PARENTS AND GUARDIANS

THEME: "LEARNING: THE MAJOR OBJECTIVE OF THE COLLEGE"



September 3, 1972 at 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Field House

PRAIRIE VIEW
AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL
COLLEGE

PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS

Objectives of the Prairie View Association of Parents and Guardians

1. To provide a closer relationship of the parents and guardians with the faculty, staff and administration of the College and to work with parents and guardians concerning the maintenance of the health, general welfare and happiness of the students;
2. To provide an opportunity for parents to maintain a trusteeship in promoting the kind and quality of educational programs essential to success and happiness;
3. To provide an opportunity to see what is taking place at the College as well as to personally express your viewpoint and desires to the president, faculty and staff;
4. Give your child support, encouragement, understanding and motivation while he is away from home, inspire and help him in overcoming obstacles and solving various problems;
5. Be active participants in local and regional organizations of Prairie View Association of Parents and Guardians;
 - a. Aid in defining goals needed in adjusting instructions to changing needs, technology and resources;
 - b. Be catalysts for new designs in the present program to fit demands, challenges and aspirations of future education and for securing funds to finance these improvements.
6. To enable parents to serve as public relations ambassadors for the Go College;
7. To provide an opportunity for parents and guardians to make regular visits to the College and meet annually for a regular Parent's Day;
8. To work jointly with parents and guardians in a program of motivation to encourage students to complete their education and maintain the highest possible level of academic and citizenship achievement;
9. To provide a vehicle through which the parents and guardians may make immediate contact with the College officials concerning any question or problem relating to the welfare of the College or the students; and
10. To provide a means through which the parents and guardians may voice their expectations, hopes and aspirations for their students and the College

PARENTS DAY PROGRAM

8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION AND COFFEE

Field House (Rotunda) 8:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

PARENTS MEETING WITH DEANS AND FACULTY

Field House (Rotunda) 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

RELIGIOUS SERVICE

Field House 11:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

Lunch

(Parents, Students and Faculty eat together)

Hilliard Hall 12:15 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

2:00 p.m.

Special Convocation With The President and Student Leaders

Presiding — Burndine English

(Miss Prairie View)

PRELUDE Music Department

INVOCATION Rev. I. C. Gordon

Director of Upward Bound

VOCAL SELECTION Music Department

FORMULA FOR SUCCESS Student Leaders

Student Government Association James Foster

Memorial Center Board Harold Haynes

Greek Letter Organization Carl Baker

United Men's Congress Tolvin Poole

Women's Council Lawanda Durham

Athletics Debra Sepenter

Junior Fellow Organization Alvin Hopkins

VOCAL SELECTION

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER Miss Burndine English

KEYNOTE ADDRESS: "The Formula for Success: Students, Parents, and
College Working Together" Dr. A. I. Thomas

President, Prairie View A&M College

ANNOUNCEMENTS Mrs. Delia M. Hunt

Director, Parents & Guardians Assoc.

CLOSING STATEMENT

ALMA MATER Music Department

BENEDICTION

RECEPTION — President's Campus House 4:00 p.m.

Dinner

5:30-6:15 p.m.

Candle Light Service — Field House — Sponsored by United Ministers
and Junior Fellows

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS COMMITTEE

Planning Committee

Mrs. Delia M. Hunt, Chairman

Rev. W. Van Johnson, Co-Chairman

Dr. Gwendolyn Grossman
Jimmie Poindexter
Clarissa Booker
Hubert Smith
Marie Cromwell
Joe Phillips
Joe Mack
Samuel Montgomery
Dr. Marion Henry
Dr. C. Carney
Cora Johnson*

Berndine English*
Harold Haynes*
Margaret Penn*
Vivian H. Smith
James Foster
Harshel Sheely
Alvin Hopkins*
Cassandra Robinson*
Seceeter Phillips
Mary Clark
Buddy Hooper
Vernon Black

Wendell Davis
Dymple Cooksey
Teresa Sneed
J. R. Battle
Robert Cole
Pamela Garrett*
Mary Washington*
Dianne Doucett*
Willie Waters*
Dwight Conaway*
Norbett Mitchel*

*Student Committee Members

ALMA MATER — "Dear Prairie View"

Dear Prairie View, our song to thee we raise
In gratitude we sing our hymn of praise,
For mem'ries dear for friends and recollections,
For lessons learned while here we've lived with thee.
For these we pledge our hearts full of devotion,
To serve thee now, and through eternity.
As days go by, our hearts will not grow cold,
We'll love thy purple royal and thy gold,
We'll through our lives exemplify thy teachings,
We'll always strive a blessing to be,
Thy children we our love and pride confessing,
We'll love thee now, and through eternity..

Words by O. Anderson Fuller

Music from "Finlandia" by Sibelius